

1 District Judge Robert S. Lasnik  
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

10 In re: International Judicial Assistance in:

11 TANKUT KARAHAN,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 TURKAN MERVE KARAHAN,

15 Defendant.

CASE NO. 2:20-mc-00028-RSL

ORDER APPOINTING  
COMMISSIONER PURSUANT TO  
28 U.S.C. § 1782

16 Upon application of the United States of America, on behalf the Embassy of the Republic of  
17 Turkey, at the direction of the 15th Family Court, Istanbul, Republic of Turkey, seeking information  
18 from Expedia Group (“Expedia) who resides within the jurisdiction of this Court, for use in a  
19 judicial proceeding in Turkey and the Court having read the Letter of Request (Exhibit A to the  
20 Declaration of Christina Fogg, Dkts. 1-4,) from the Embassy of the Republic of Turkey, at the  
21 direction of the 15th Family Court, Istanbul, Republic of Turkey and being fully informed in the  
22 premises, it is hereby

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Order Appointing Commissioner  
Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1782(a) - 1  
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1 ORDERED, pursuant to the authority contained in 28 U.S.C. § 1782 that Christina Fogg,  
2 Assistant United States Attorney for the Western District of Washington, is hereby appointed as  
3 Commissioner to take such steps as are necessary to obtain information from Expedia in conformity  
4 with the legally-permissible portions of the Letter of Request (as set forth in Exhibit A to the  
5 Declaration of Christina Fogg, Dkt. 1-4), to certify the information provided by Expedia in response  
6 thereto, to submit such answers to the United States Attorney for the Western District of Washington  
7 for transmission to the Office of International Judicial Assistance, United States Department of  
8 Justice, and to do all else that may be necessary for the accomplishment of the purpose of this Order.

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10 Dated this 21st day of April, 2020.

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12 Robert S. Lasnik  
13 United States District Court Judge